SUBJECT No. 255.

Indigenous hospitals in rural areas,

Messrs. Kodandarama Setty, Suryanarayana Rao *alias* Sirappa and Nanjappa, Tumkur taluk.

Summary of discussion.—Owing to the prevalence of epidemic diseases such as cholera and plague, people are constantly suffering for want of proper medical aid. They are even deprived of the help of native physicians who do not flourish for want of encouragement. This is a matter of vital importance. It is therefore requested that indigenous hospitals may be established on a large scale, at least one in each hobli headquarters.

Reply of Government.—This should be done by the District Boards.

SUBJECT No. 256.

Compulsory vaccination.

Mr. Boregowda, Yedatore taluk.

Summary of discussion.—Pray that vaccination be made compulsory in all large towns and villages of the State.

Reply of Government.—Noted.

EDUCATION.

(Nos. 257 to 305.)

SUBJECT No. 257.

Affiliation of some High Schools and one College to the Bombay University.

Messrs. C. Subba Rao, Shimoga District Board, A. Narasimha Iyengar, Sagar taluk, K Shankaranarayan Rao and S. R. Balakrishna Rao, Shimoga Municipality.

Withdrawn.

SUBJECT No. 258.

An Educational Board.

Mr. S. R. Balakrishna Rao, Shimoga Municipality.

Summary of discussion.—A Board of Education may be formed with the Inspector-General of Education as President, and the Principals of Colleges at Bangalore and Mysore, the Headmasters of two High Schools, two inspecting officers and about five non-official gentlemen and officers of other departments as members. This will secure a continuity of policy and the experience gained by the body will not be lost, unlike cases in which the officer in sole charge of the department vacates it. The functions of the board should be of an advisory character.

Reply of Government.—Noted.

SUBJECT No. 259.

Girls' School Committees.

Messrs. C. Rasool Khan, Anjuman-e-Islamia, Chikmagalur, Bhaskara Rao, Shimoga District Board, A. Narasimhaiengar, Sagar taluk.

Withdrawn.

SUBJECT No. 260.

Compulsory Education.

Messrs. K. Shankaranarayan Rao, Shimoga Municipality, and C Vasudeva Rao, Chikmagalur taluk, Yajaman Ramabhatta, Kadur District Board and V. Ragavachar, Pavagada taluk.

Withdrawn, as the Government have the subject under consideration.